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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled PRINTER, CONTROL METHOD AND CONTROL PROGRAM FOR PRINTER, AND STORAGE MEDIUM FOR STORING CONTROL PROGRAM FOR PRINTER

the specification of which ☐ is attached hereto. ☒ was filed on May 11, 2001 as United States Application No. or PCT International Application No. 09/852,663 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Country	Application No.	Filed (Day / Mo. / Yr.)	(Yes / No) Priority Claimed
Japan	139311/2000 (Pat.)	12/May/2000	Yes

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I hereby appoint the practitioners associated with the firm and Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and direct that all correspondence be addressed to the address associated with that Customer Number:

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Sir:

The present application was filed on May 11, 2001 without an executed Declaration. Since that time, Applicant has not yet received a Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application. Absent such a Notice, Applicant is herewith submitting an executed Declaration And Power Of Attorney, together with the requisite surcharge fee of \$130.00.

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No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of the document is attached for that purpose.

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Kindly acknowledge receipt of the accompanying:

- ☐ Specifications, claims and abstract _____ pages, with Transmittal Form
- ☒ Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney ☒ Executed ☐ Not Executed
- ☐ _____ Sheets of _____ formal _____ informal drawings
- ☒ Check for \$ 130.- — exchange (filing fee)
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- ☐ Assignment, PTO-1595 and Check for \$ _____
- ☐ Transmittal Under 37 CFR 1.53(d) (CPA)
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